[Mr. A. Kumara Pillai.]

(5) One Demonstrator on Rs. 15-1-20.
(6) One peon on Rs. 9-1/6-11.

(*g*) *Cattle Farm, Esantimangalam.*

(1) One Veterinary Inspector on Rs. 50-5/2-75.
(2) One peon on Rs. 9-1/6-11.

III. Other retrenchments.

(i) The number of grants-in-aid to private persons for maintaining stud bulls has been reduced from 20 to 15 and the rate of grant has been reduced from Rs. 75 per annum to Rs. 50 per annum.

(ii) The rates of grant to private native veterinary *vaidyans* and veterinary hospitals have been reduced as shown below :—

Old grant.	*Revised grant.*
1 on Rs. 25 per mensem	1 on Rs. 20 per mensem.
2 on Rs. 15 each ,,	2 on Rs. 12 each ,,
2 on Rs. 12 each ,,	2 on Rs. 10 each ,,

(iii) The temporary blacksmith and the temporary carpenter of the Koni school have been abolished.

(iv) The headquarters of the Agricultural Inspector, Shertallai, has been shifted to Vaikam where a Government building is available for holding his office to save the expenditure on account of rent at Rs. 10 per mensem.

The financial effect of the above retrenchment is a saving of over Rs. 11,000 per annum. Besides this, reductions have been made in the expenditure under contingencies and travelling allowance.

Acting clerks in the Ayurveda Department.

313. **MR. A. S. DAMODARAN ASAN** (*Mavelikara* cum *Kartikapalli*) : Will the Government be pleased to state :

(*a*) whether by G. O. Dis. 69, dated the 4th January 1930, they have declared the ranks and claims of the acting clerks in the Ayurveda Department ;

(*b*) whether the appointments of clerks have been made in the order given in the above G. O.;

(*c*) whether any person not included in the G. O. has been appointed without providing for all the persons mentioned therein ; and

(*d*) if any person mentioned in the G. O. is still unprovided for, the reasons for the same ?

MR. P. VISVANATHA AIYAR (*Secretary to Government*) : (*a*) By G. O. Dis. No. 67/30/Genl., dated 9-1-1930, the rank of the then 3 acting clerks in the Ayurveda Department was fixed.

(*b*) Yes.

(*c*) and (*d*) Yes ; it is reported that, when an acting vacancy occurred during the close of 1105, Mr. N. Narayana Pillai, 2nd in rank among the 3 acting clerks, was appointed to it, that a service order was issued to him by the Inspector in charge of the Ayurveda Department, but he did not then report for duty, and that his claims were not therefore considered when acting vacancies occurred subsequently. On receipt of a petition now from the abovesaid Narayana Pillai,

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Government are considering his claims for an acting clerical appointment in the Ayurveda Department.

MR. A. S. DAMODARAN ASAN (*Mavelikara* cum *Kartikapalli*): It is seen from the answer that when an acting vacancy occurred during the close of 1105, Mr. Narayana Pillai was appointed to it. May I know the date on which the acting vacancy occurred?

MR. P. VISVANATHA AIYAR (*Secretary to Government*): About the close of 1105. The exact date is not available.

MR. A. S. DAMODARAN ASAN (*Mavelikara* cum *Kartikapalli*): May I know what time expired between the date of communicating the order to Narayana Pillai and the date of filling the vacancy?

MR. P. VISVANATHA AIYAR (*Secretary to Government*): I have no information.

MR. A. S. DAMODARAN ASAN (*Mavelikara* cum *Kartikapalli*): May I know whether notice was given to Narayana Pillai?

MR. P. VISVANATHA AIYAR (*Secretary to Government*): I have no information about that.

MR. A. S. DAMODARAN ASAN (*Mavelikara* cum *Kartikapalli*): May I know whether the Government will enquire into it?

MR. P. VISVANATHA AIYAR (*Secretary to Government*): The Government are considering his claims now.

MR. A. S. DAMODARAN ASAN (*Mavelikara* cum *Kartikapalli*): Are the Government aware that it is not due to the fault of Narayana Pillai that he did not get the appointment?

MR. P. VISVANATHA AIYAR (*Secretary to Government*): That point also will be considered.

DEMAND V—Chemical Examiner, Ayurveda Department, etc.

PRESIDENT: The discussion on Demand V will be resumed to-day and continued for one hour. Motion No. 236, moved by Mr. Kunjitomman, is now being discussed.

MR. K. GEORGE (*Chief Secretary to Government*): Last evening we heard some strong criticisms from the non-official side about the administration of the Sanitary Department. The discussions covered two important aspects. There was a general complaint about the inefficiency in the administration of the department and the other was a specific complaint made by Mr. Tariatu Kunjitomman that injustice was being perpetrated in considering the communal claims of the Romo-Syrian community. I hope I shall be able to convince the House that.....

MR. TARIATU KUNJITOMMAN (*Commerce and Industry, North*): റോമോസിറിയൻ കമ്മൂനിട്ടിയെപ്പറ്റി മാത്രമല്ല ഞാൻപറഞ്ഞത്. ലാറ്റിൻറൈറ്റ് കൂസ്ത്യാനികൾ, ജേക്കബൈറ്റ കൂസ്ത്യാനികൾ ഈഴവർ, മഹമ്മദീയർ തുടങ്ങിയുള്ള പ്രാതിനിധ്യം കുറഞ്ഞ സമുദായക്കാരെ എല്ലാംചേർത്താണ ഞാൻ പറഞ്ഞതെന്ന ചീഫ്സെക്രട്ടറിക്കറിയാമൊ?

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